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Applicants	Pieter Adriaan Oosterling, et al.
Serial No. 09/868,122	Filing Date: September 24, 2001
Title of Application:	Device and Method for Milking Animals
Confirmation No. 5702	Group Art Unit: 3643
Examiner	Son T. Nguyen

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Response to Official Action

Dear Sir:

In response to the Official Action of January 16, 2003, Applicants submit the following Amendment and Remarks.

Amendment Revisions

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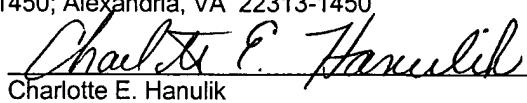
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